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# W. H. BOFFERDING CO.

1221 WASHINGTON AVENUE NORTH, MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.



GARDEN, FIELD AND FLOWER

# **SEEDS**

BULBS, PLANTS AND CUT FLOWERS

GARDEN TOOLS, INCUBATORS, BROODERS



## SPECIALS FOR MARKET GARDENERS.

Lettuce, Grand Rapids.

Radish, W. H. B. Co., Early Scarlet Globe.
Cucumber, Davis Perfect, forcing
Selected strains for forcing under glass.

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Cauliflower, No. 473, Danish, reliable, main crop.

Spinach, W. H. B. Co.,

Deep green, round thick
leaves, stands a long time
before running to seed.



To Our Friends and Patrons:

We take great pleasure in presenting to you our 1914 SEED BOOK and want to thank you for your liberal patronage in the past and trust

you will favor us with a continuance of same.

A new year lies before us—another twelve months of fresh opportunity—of undeveloped possibilities. To make the most of your opportunity as a gardener or farmer you must have proper soil conditions and good seed. Good seeds however are very essential to your success, to get the best results let us then co-operate for our interests are mutual. The seeds we offer are all tested and of high germination and productiveness. Our seeds are purchased from growers who specialize in the growing of the various seeds.

Write or consult us when in doubt as to what and when to plant, our long experience selling seeds to market gardeners and critical grow-

ers enables us to know what varieties are the best adapted.

The numerous letters we receive from satisfied customers and our increased business is evidence that our efforts to provide good seeds and improved varieties are meeting with marked success.

Our wishes are that the New Year will bring you prosperity. We

Sincerely yours, W. H. F are,

. H. BOFFERDING CO.

# CUT FLOWER DEPARTMENT.

We maintain a complete flower department. Our equipment for filling local and out-of-town orders is unexcelled. Telephone and telegraph orders for cut flowers, wedding bouquets, funeral designs, are given prompt and careful attention. other society or secret society floral emblems a specialty.

## HOW TO ORDER—POSTAGE RATES.

With each catalogue you will find order blanks and envelopes. Use these for orders only; always sign full name and address, with other

shipping directions.

Cash with order. Send money by Express, Post Office Money Order, Bank Draft or Registered Mail. Stamps taken as cash when received in good condition. Seeds in quantities of 1/4 lb. or less will be mailed postpaid at list prices. Quantities of ½ lb. or over will require postage at the rate of 8c per lb. in addition to catalog prices. Peas and Beans require 8 cents per pt., 15 cents per qt., in addition to catalog prices.

Half lbs. are supplied at pound rates, half pecks at peck rates, 1/2

bushel at bushel rates. No charge for boxes, bags or barrels.

#### NOTICE.

Parcel Post rates do not apply to seeds, bulbs and plants, the old rate of one cent for each two ounces or eight cents per pound regardless of distance, is still in effect; the weight limit, however, is increased to

20 pounds.

If goods, notice of shipment or acknowledgment of order are not received within a reasonable time, it may be assumed that the order has been miscarried or the name and address omitted. In such case notify us at once, giving your name and address and the list of some goods ordered, so we will be able to check it up correctly and speedily.

We give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, purity, productiveness, or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs or plants we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms they are

at once to be returned.

#### SPINACH.

W. H. B. Triumph .-In this new Spinach we have a large growing variety of the best quality that withstands hot weather longer than any other sort. By its use the Spinach season may be lengthened a whole month. We anticipate great popularity for it, as it is not only long standing, but is also superior 'n quality and size to older kinds.



W. H. B. TRIUMPH

### MANGEL DANISH SLUDSTRUP.

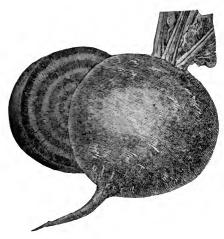


1/4 Lb., 10c;
1 Lbs., \$2.00.

Danish Sludstrup

This most wonderful Mangel has been awarded a first class certificate several times by the Danish Government, which is the highest honor attained in agricultural circles in Denmark. And to obtain this special certificate is a very difficult undertaking.

Sludstrup is a long reddish-yellow root, but not so long as the Mammoth long red, it grows more above the ground and is very easily harvested, requiring but little exertion to pull same, the sizes of the roots, like all other varieties, depend entirely upon circumstances, they are frequently grown to a size weighing from 15 to 20 pounds each. The Danish farmers prefer to grow them smaller, viz., 6 to 10 pounds each, which is accomplished by not allowing so much space in and between the rows, the smaller roots contain a higher percentage of dry matter, consequently the crop is more valuable than if the large roots are grown. Price, 1/4 lb., 15c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., \$2.00.



# BEET—DETROIT DARK RED TURNIP.

Careful comparisons with all the prominent varieties on the market in this country and in Europe prove that the Detroit Dark Red Turnip Beet is the most uniform in shape and size and the most attractive in color. It is unsurpassed in quality. Universally recognized as the best beet for the market, the home garden and for canning. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 10c; 1/4 Lb., 30c; Lb., \$1.00.

#### CAULIFLOWER.

No. 473 Danish—Our own importation, seed grown by one of the foremost growers of cauliflower seed in Denmark, a specialist in his line. With proper soil and cultivation this is sure to produce uniform large white heads, a reliable sort, one can trust to make good. Pkt., 20c; ½ Oz., 55c; Oz., \$2.25; 2 Oz., \$4.25: ½ Lb., \$8.00.

Snowball. — Admi rably adapted for forcing of wintering over for early cro and the most popular sor for these rur oses. It It i also one of the best sorts for late summer and fall cros and with reasonably favor able conditions every plan will form large, solid head o fine quality. The plants ar compact, with few narrow upright leaves and are wel suited for close planting The heads are solid, compact round, very white and curdlike and are developed earlies than those of any other sort In our recent comparative trials of samples from the growers known and



prominent seedsmen in Europe and America our stock of Early Snowball were unsurpassed by any in earliness. They also give the largest percentage of well formed heads. We are in position to supply the most critical trade with seed which can be depended upon as the very best. Pkt., 20c; ½ Oz., 65c; Oz., \$2 25: 2 Oz., \$4.25; ½ Lb., \$8.00.

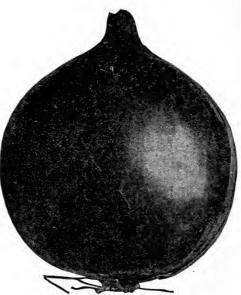
No. 888. Extra Earliest of All.—Most desirable for forcing and for first planting in the open ground. This is a thoroughbred strain of this popular variety. It is a trifle earlier than Snowball and dwarfer, otherwise quite similar. This seed will produce cauliflower the equal of any

on the market. Good strains of this seed have a 50 to 60 year pedigree. They are so high bred that it is very seldom that the plants average good seed crop, hence the best seed is always dear and scarce. Our seed is from a famous grower whose strain is unexcelled. Pkt., 25c; ¼ Oz., 85c; Oz., \$3.00.

# 3 FINEST GLOBE ONIONS

#### GLOBE ONIONS.

Different markets and localities prefer different onions. Globe Onions are generally most popular and yield better than the other sorts. Flat onions are the earliest and the large sized kinds have the best flavor. Our Select White, Red and Yellow Globe are ideal of their kind and the most critical planters can rely upon this seed. Every bag of seed is tested as to vitality.



SELECT RED GLOBE

## SELECT WHITE GLOBE.

This is the handsomest of all onions. Our genuine Eastern grown stock is of the true globe form; pure white, hard, small necked, ripening very early and evenly, a good keeper. We supply the largest market gardeners. To get a very fine white onion, pull just as they begin to go down, and dry in an airy and shady place No market gardener or onion grower can afford to plant inferior seed, with only cheapness of price to recommend it, when seed like this is to be had, the results of a few ounces often paying twice the first cost of the best seed. Pkt., 10c; Oz., 25c; 2 Oz., 40c; ½ Lb., 70c; Lb., \$2.25.

Select Southport Red Globe.—Our Select Red Globe is a beautiful crimson red and a better lot of seed cannot be found. It is of immense size, very solid and firm—qualities which make it a fine seller and an excellent keeper. Our market garden customers regularly grow crops yielding 800 to 1,000 bu. from this seed. Our grower is an expert who especially selects this seed from large, fine colored, solid bulbs, well cured and ripened carefully avoiding all thick necked ones. Grown in Con-

and ripened, carefully avoiding all thick necked ones. Grown in Connecticut. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 20c.; 2 Oz., 35c; ½ Lb., 60c; Lb., \$2.00.

Select Southport Yellow Globe.—A main crop, late, large, round Onion It is sure to satisfy the one who buys a packet or the one who sows 50 pounds for carload shipments. A truly grand Onion, whose large golden-yellow spheres make a beautiful appearance, sacked or barreled for the market. Finest of all yellow onions for keeping. Our Eastern strain of seed is from a grower of twenty-five years' experience who makes a specialty of this variety. There is no better. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 20c; 2 Oz., 35c; ½ Lb., 50c; Lb., \$1.75.

#### CABBAGE-HOLLANDER OR DANISH BALL HEAD.

Very hardy, handsome, very solid, of fine quality and is one of the very best keepers. It is particularly desirable for distant markets or for late spring use. Plants vigorous, compact growing, with longer stems than most American sorts and exceedingly hardy in resisting cold and dry weather; leaves large, thick, bluish green covered with whitish bloom. Heads medium sized, round, very solid and stand shipment better than any other late sort. We offer seed of our own contract growing which, judging from recent trials, will produce more uniformly typical heads than can be grown from the best stocks obtainable elsewhere. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 40c: 2 Oz., 80c; 1/4 Lb., \$1.50; Lb., \$4.50.



Laxtonian

## NEW EARLY PEA-"LAXTO-NIAN."

This new pea has the largest pods of any early variety we know of. The pods are 4 to 41/2 in. long,



Hollander or Danish Ballhead

being as large as Telephone, while they mature a week or 10 days earlier than that variety. vines are strong and stocky, only about 18 in. tall, and produce heavy crops of large, handsome, dark green pods.

This pea is 2 or 3 days later than Thomas Laxton and Gradus but has much larger pods than either. We are sure this pea will prove a valuable one both for the home garden and for market. The peas are large and of the very highest cuality. Try a few this season.

Price, Pkt., 10c; pt., 30c; qt., 50c;

pk., \$3.00.

"LITTLE MARVEL" PEA.

This is a new dwarf wrinkled pea like American Wonder and Nott's Excelsior but more productive than either, and fully as early. The pods are  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. long, plump, and filled right out to the ends. The vines grow only a little over a foot high and are The peas covered with pods. are deep green and of high quality.

This we think will become the most popular extra early dwarf pea for the home garden.

Price, Pkt., 10c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c;

pk., \$2.75.

# SWEET CORN— GOLDEN BANTAM, EARLY.

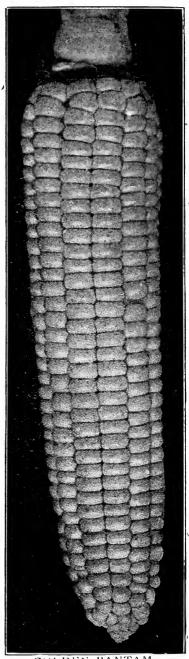
An early sweet corn with golden yellow grain, very tender and of excellent quality. Ears eight rowed, six to seven inches long and of the medium size found most suitable for the table. The flavor is exceptionally rich and delicious. Height, four to five feet. Our stock has been very carefully selected. Pkt., 10c; Pt., 20c; Qt., 25c; Peck, \$1.50; Bu., \$5.50.

#### WHITE MALAKHOF.

A handsome, very early sweet corn of splendid quality. Stalks about four feet high; ears about five inches long, twelve rowed, slender but with very small cob which is well filled with small, deep, sweet and tender grains. Follows closely Mammoth White Cory in time of maturing. Pkt., 10c; Pt., 20c; Qt., 30c; Peck, \$1.50; Bu., \$5.50.

#### COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.

This variety has a small, white cob, densely covered with irregular rows of very long, slender, white grains of excellent quality. Ears seven to nine inches long; stalks from six and one-half to seven feet high. Well adapted for the home garden and market and by many it is regarded as the best of the late varieties. Pkt., 10c; Pt., 15c; Qt., 25c; Peck, \$1.50; Bu., \$5.00.



GOLDEN BANTAM.

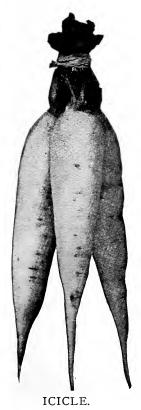
## RADISH—W. H. B. SELECT ICICLE.

We have a special strain of this popular Radish that is in a class by itself. Everyone who plants radishes should put in a plat of this variety. Of highest quality and stays in an edible condition longer than any other early sort. Roots long, slender and white. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 10c; ½ Lb., 20c; Lb., 60c.



#### RADISH.

Improved Early Scarlet Globe-W. H. B. Selected Stock.—A most desirable sort for greenhouse and hot-bed forcing and for outof-doors; very early, mild, crisp, juicy and tender; top small and will stand heat without becoming pithy. One of the best selling and most attractive radishes on account of its handsome rich bright scarlet color. Is ready in 25 days. Our stock of this is the very best, selected with care as to size, shape, color and earliness, and market gardeners will find it a money maker; it is just right in every respect. We take great pains to have it so and our gardener customers who plant this seed always command the highest market prices. family use this should be sown every ten days in order to always have a fresh supply. Pkt., 5c; Oz., 10c; 1/4 Lb., 20c; Lb., 65c; by express-5 Lbs., \$3.00; 10 Lbs., \$5.50.



# PRICE LIST OF W. H. BOFFERDING COMPANY'S QUALITY GARDEN SEEDS.

Notice.—Our prices are based on customer paying transportation charges, but when Packets, Ounces and Quarter Pounds are wanted by mail we pay the postage. When larger lots, such as Pounds or Quarts, are wanted by mail or express, prepaid, customer must remit 8 cents per pound and 15 cents per quart extra.

When not ordered by mail or express, prepaid, as above described,

we will ship by freight or express at buyer's expense.

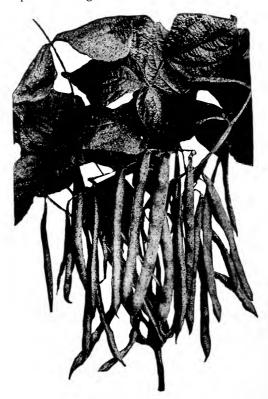
All packets of vegetable seeds 5 cents unless otherwise noted.

### ASPARAGUS SEED.

Oz.		Lb.
Palmetto. The best American variety\$0.0	8 \$0.15	\$0.50
Connover's Colossal. Old standard variety0	8 .15	.40
Giant Argenteuil. French variety, fine	0 .20	.65

#### ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

Palmetto and Connover's Colossal. Extra heavy roots.....\$1.00 per 100 Write for prices in large lots.



Beans-Dwarf Green

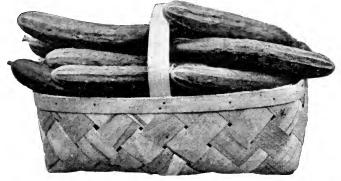
## BEANS-DWARF GREEN.

Extra Early Refuge. Fine early variety\$0.25 Stringless Green Pod. Round thick, light green30 Early Round Pod Valentine. Extra early	2 Qt. \$0.45 .55 .45 .55 .75 .55	Peck. \$1.70 1.75 1.65 1.75 2.00 2.00 2.00
BEANS—DWARF WAX.	2.04	Dogle
Wardwell's Kidney Wax. Very long, flat, deep yellow	2 Qt. \$0.65 .65 .55 .75	\$2.25 2.25 2.00 2.50 2.25
BEANS—POLE.		
Kentucky Wonder. Long, slender green pods, fine quality	2 Qt. \$0.55 .75 .65	Peck. \$2.00 2.25 2.00
BEET.		
Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Extra Early Egyptian. Very early, excellent quality\$0.10  Crosby's Egyptian Turnip. A round form of the E. E. Egyptian; small top, blood red color. Good market variety for early	<b>\$0.25</b>	\$0.80 1.00
Detroit Dark Red Turnip. The standard market		
variety	.30 .25 .20 .25	1.00 .89 .70 .75
MANGEL AND SUGAR BEETS FOR ST	оск.	
Oz. Sludstrup. Long reddish yellow, grows well above	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
the ground, easy to pull, no better  Eckendorf. Red giant	\$0.15 .15	\$0.45 .50
good keeper, 10 lbs. \$3.00	.15 .15	.35 .45
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.		
Oz. Improved Half Dwarf	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Lb. \$0.40	Lb.

CABBAGE.				
Chibblide.	Oz.	2 Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Copenhagen Market. A new early cabbage that will be found a very profitable one. Heads round, medium size and very solid. Early and sure to make		_ 02.	74 25.	_~.
good heads	0.50	\$0.95	\$1.70	\$6.00
hne strain	30	.55	1.00	3.00
Charleston Wakefield. Larger than Jersey and about ten days later. Very				
popular in this market	.30	.55	1.00	3.00
head  Enkhuizen Glory. The largest and earliest round head cabbage, large as late kinds and matures as early as	.25	.45	.85	3.00
Charleston. Try this	.30	.55	.85	3.00
cabbage	.30 .35	.55 .60	.85 1.00	3.00 3.50
Succession. Adapted to sainly sons	.33	.00	1.00	3.30
CABBAGE—LATE AND W	INTE	R SOR	ΓS.	
The Menney of Tonger of Charles Manney	Oz.	2 Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
The Warren or Improved Stone Mason. Hard and good keeper	0.25	\$0.45	\$0.80	\$3.00
Hollander	.40	.80	1.50	4.50
variety	.25	.45	.75	2.50
Danish Ballhead. Hard round, good keeper. American	.25	.45	.75	2.50
Danish Ballhead. Grown in Denmark Currie's Long Keeping. Long keeping,	.20	.35	.65	2.25
heavy yielder	.30	.55	1.00	3.50
hage	.30 .25	.55	.85	2.75
Improved American Savoy	•25	.45	.75	2.50
CARROT.				
Chantener The best for morelest bunch	Oz.	2 Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Chantenay. The best for market, bunching or bushel	0.10	\$0.15	\$0.25	\$0.85
Chantenay. French seed, selected	.15	.25	.45	1.25
Danver's Half Long	.10	.15	.25	.85
general use	.10 .10	.15 .15	.25 .25	.85 .75
White Belgium. For stock feeding Yellow Belgium. For stock feeding	.10	.15	.25	.75
CAULIFLOW	TD.			
CAOLIFLOWI	Pkt.	Oz.	2 Oz.	¼ Lb.
No. 473 Danish. The prize winner	0.20	\$2.25	\$4.25	\$8.00
<b>Early Snowball.</b> Standard variety  No. 888. Earliest of all, for forcing	.20 .25	2.25 3.00	4.25 5.50	8.00
Danish Giant or Dry Weather. Ten days	.20	0.00	0.00	• • • •
later than Snowball, drought resisting and larger	.20	2.30	4.25	8.00

CELERY.  Minneapolis Market. Self blanching. Try this Golden Self Blanching. French seed	.10 .10 .05 Oz.	Oz. \$0.50 1.25 .25 .25	1/4 Lb. \$1.50 4.50 .85 .75
CODN CALAD			
CORN SALAD.	\$0.10		• • • •
CRESS.			
Curled or Pepper Cress		• • • •	
True Water	.35		
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BEST VARIETIES OF SWEET	Qt.	N. Pk.	Bu.
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet	Qt.	Pk.	
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30	Pk. \$1.50	\$5.50
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35	\$5.50 5.00
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25	91.50 \$1.35 1.35	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b>
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25	91.50 \$1.35 1.35	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b>
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b>  5.50
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White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35  1.50 1.35 1.35	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b>  5.50 4.50 4.50
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White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35 1.50 1.35 1.50 1.25	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b>  5.50 4.50 4.50 5.00 4.00
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt. 30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35 1.50 1.35 1.50 1.25 1.25	\$5.50 5.00 <b>4.75</b> 5.50 4.50 4.50 5.00 4.00 3.75
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt.  30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35 1.50 1.35 1.50 1.25 1.50	\$5.50 5.00 4.75  5.50 4.50 4.50 5.00 4.00 3.75 4.00
White Malakhof. A handsome, very early sweet corn	Qt.  30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	Pk. \$1.50 \$1.35 1.35 1.50 1.35 1.50 1.25 1.50	\$5.50 5.00 4.75  5.50 4.50 4.50 5.00 4.00 3.75 4.00

## CUCUMBER.



Davis Perfect. Select forcing strain	.10 .10 .15 .10 .10 .10	\$0.75 .30 .30 .40 .25 .25 .25	Lb. \$2.50 1.00 1.00 1.50 .90 .90
Japanese Climbing		.40	1.23

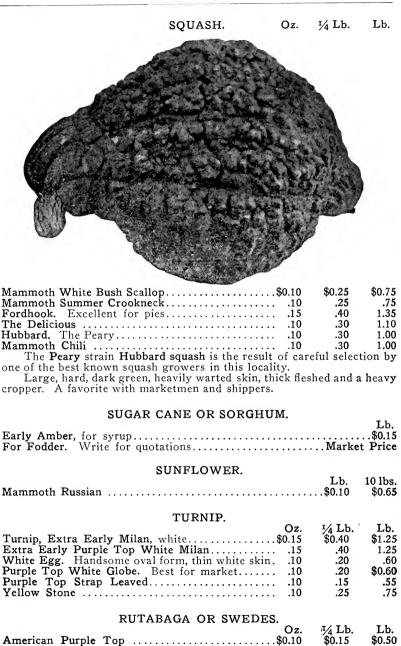
EGG PLANT.		
Oz. Improved Large Purple Spineless\$0.35	1/4 Lb. \$1.25	Lb.
Black Beauty	1.50	• • • •
ENDIVE. Oz.	T/Th	Lb.
Large Green Curled\$0.15	⅓ Lb. \$0.40	LD.
Moss Curled	.40	
Broad Leaved Batavian	.40	
KALE OR BORECOLE.		
Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Tall Green Scotch Curled         \$0.10           Dwarf Scotch Curled         .10	\$0.25 .25	• • • •
KOHL RABI.	.20	••••
Oz.	¼ Lb.	Lb.
Early White Vienna. For forcing\$0.20	\$0.60	\$2.00
Large Green	.50	
LEEK.		
Oz.	⅓ Lb.	Lb.
Large American Flag or Broad London\$0.20	<b>\$</b> 0.60	\$2.00
LETTUCE—HEAD OR CABBAGE.		
Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
May King. Early hard heads, yellow center\$0.15	\$0.45	\$1.50
Market Gardeners' Private Stock	.35 .35	1.25 1.25
Improved Big Boston. Will not turn red	.40	1.50
Big Boston	.35	1.25
LETTUCE—CURLED OR LOOSE LEAVE	ED.	
Oz	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Grand Rapids, for forcing\$0.10	\$0.35	\$1.25
Ferry's Early Prize Head	.30	1.00
Black Seeded Simpson	.30	1.00
MUSK MELON—GREEN FLESHED.	7 / T 1	T 1.
Oz. Fytra Farly Citron Select strain \$0.10	⅓ Lb. \$0.35	Lb. \$1.25
Extra Early Citron. Select strain\$0.10 Extra Early Hackensack	.30	1.00
Rocky Ford	.30	1.00
Hackensack or Turk's Cap	.30	1.00
MUSK MELON—YELLOW FLESHED		
Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Osage\$0.10	\$0.35	\$1.25
Surprise	.35 .35	1.25 1.25
White Japan	.35	1.35
WATER MELON.		
Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Keckley's Sweets. One of the sweetest\$0.10	\$0.25	\$0.75
Tom Watson. New	.35	1.00
Dark Icing. An old favorite	.20 .20	.65 .60
Sweet Heart	.25	.90
OKRA.		
Oz	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Perkins Long Pod\$0.10	\$0.25	
White Velvet	.20	••••

ONION.			
Southport Red Globe. Selected stock.  Michigan Yellow Globe. Southport Yellow Globe, Selected stock. Southport White Globe, Selected stock. Mammoth Yellow Spanish or Prizetaker. White Portugal, for sets.	z. .15 .15 .20 .20 .20 .20 .25 .20 .15	**Lb. \$0.40 55 .60 .50 .70 .60 .50 .45	Lb. \$1.25 1.65 2.00 1.75 1.75 2.25 1.75 1.75
ONION SETS.			
Red Bottom\$0. Yellow Bottom	.20 .20 .20 on, or bject	to fluctu	as the ations
PARSLEY.			
Plain\$0. Champion Moss Curled	Oz. .10 .10 .10	\$0.30 .25 .30	Lb. \$0.90 .90 1.00
PARSNIP.			
Hollow Crown, or Guernsey\$0	Oz. .10	⅓ Lb. \$0.25	Lb. \$0.75
PEPPER.			
Red Chili Long Red Cayenne Ruby King Large Bell or Bull Nose	.30 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25 .25	\$0.85   .80 1.50	\$3.00 
PEAS—EXTRA EARLY SORTS	S.		
Thomas Laxton Gradus American Wonder Sutton's Excelsior. New. Larger than Nott's Little Marvel. The best for family or kitchen garden, larger than American Wonder Laxtonion. 1½ foot high, early and one of the best dwarf wrinkled peas Prince Edward. The largest pod of any dwarf pea	t. .30 .30 .40 .40 .40 .40 .40	Pk. \$1.75 1.75 2.50 2.50 2.25 2.50 2.75 3.00	Bu. \$6.50 6.50 9.00 9.00 8.50 9.50 9.00 11.00

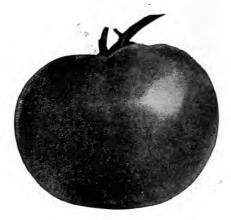
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Control         Qt.           Telephone         \$0.30           Alderman         .30           Melting Sugar         .40           Peas, Pkt. 10c Postpaid.	Pk. \$2.00 2.25	Bu. \$7.50 8.00
Field Peas. White and Green, write for prices.		
PUMPKIN.		
Large Yellow Field \$0.05 Sugar Pie Pumpkin .10 Golden Oblong .10 Mammoth Prize .10	1/4 Lb. \$0.10 .20 .25 .30	Lb. \$0.35 .60 .75 1.00
RADISH.		
W. H. B. New Scarlet Globe, small top forcing.       \$0.10         Vick's Scarlet Globe.       .10         Crimson Giant.       French grown       .10         Early Long Scarlet Short Top.       .10         Special Half White Scarlet Turnip.       .10         French Breakfast       .10         Long White Vienna or Lady Finger       .10         Icicle.       Fine crisp, best long white       .10         Early White Giant Stuttgart       .10         White Strasburg       .10	\$\frac{1}{4} Lb. \$0.20 \\ .15 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .20 \\ .25 \\ .20	Lb. \$0.65 .45 .55 .75 .60 .75 .60
WINTER VARIETIES.		
Scarlet ChinaOz.California Mammoth White Winter.10Round Black Spanish.10Long Black Spanish.10	1/4 Lb. \$0.20 .25 .25 .25	Lb. \$0.65 .75 .70
RAPE.		
Lb. Dwarf Essex. For sowing\$0.15	10 Lbs \$1.15	•
RHUBARB.		
Oz. Victoria\$0.15	<sup>1</sup> ⁄ <sub>4</sub> Lb. \$0.40	Lb. \$1.25
SALSIFY.		
Oz.  Mammoth Sandwich Island\$0.15	1/4 Lb. \$0.50	Lb. \$1.50
SPINACH.		
14 Lb.   15   16   17   18   19   19   19   19   19   19   19	Lb. \$0.30 .20 .25 .20	10 Lbs. \$2.50 1.75 2.00 1.75

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## TOMATOES.



## JUNE PINK.

Oz.	2 Oz.	√4 Lb.
Morning Star. 85 days, small, round red\$0.30	\$0.55	\$0.80
Bonny Best. Very early, large, smooth and well		
colored. Not quite as early as Earlianna, but		
much better color	.65	1.20
June Pink, Best Early Variety	.55	1.00
Rock Red. Best Large Red\$0.50	\$0.90	\$1.50
Stone, One of the Best Late	.35	.65
Earliana, Early	.55	.90
Beauty	.45	.75
Acme	.35	.65
Livingston's Globe	.55	.90
Dwarf Champion, Improved	.45	.80
Golden Queen	.45	.75
Peach	.45	.75
Red Cherry	.45	.75
Yellow Plum	.45	.75
Yellow Husk or Ground Cherry	.45	.70
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## SWEET HERBS.

	Pkt.	Oz.	1/4 Lb.	Lb.
Sage, Broad Leaved	. \$0.05	\$0.15	\$0.45	
Thyme	10	.30	1.00	
Summer Savory	05	.15	.55	
Sweet Marjoram	05	.25	.70	
Caraway	05	.10		
Hoarhound	05	.15		
Saffron	05	.10		
Coriander	05	.10		
Sweet Basil	05	.20		
Dill	05	.10	.25	.75
Lavender	05	.35		
Wormwood	05	.15		

## QUALITY SEED CORN.

The splendid varieties described and priced on this page are all grown in Hennepin and Brown Counties, carefully selected for seed. If you want seed corn that will mature in this northern latitude and produce a fine crop of large, fully developed ears. We do not hesitate in recommending the kinds listed.

## Price Subject To Change.

Minnesota No. 13. This well known corn originated by Prof. Hays. of the Minnesota Experimental Station, is one of the earliest Yellow Dent varieties, this every corn grower will admit is the essential feature to be considered in buying corn for planting in the northern latitudes. The stock we offer is grown for us in Brown County.

Price, Shelled and Graded, Qt., postpaid, 30c. By express, Pk., 80c; Bu., \$3.00. Selected ears, bu., crate, \$5.00.

Early Minnesota White Dent. This splendid white corn is one of the main crops in this locality. Selected for earliness with fine formed large ears and deep kernel, tip and butt well rounded.

Price, Qt., postpaid, 30c. By express, Pk., 80c; Bu., \$3.00.

Longfellow Flint. A prolific early 8-rowed yellow variety of very handsome appearance. Very desirable for the northwest. Price, Qt., postpaid, 35c. By express, Pk., 85c; Bu., \$2.75.

Red Cob Fodder Corn.—This variety is now grown in the large dairy regions of Minnesota so extensively as almost to exclude all the other so-called fodder corn, and the verdict is that it is the best. It is sweet, tender and juicy; has short joints, abundance of leaves, grows to great height, furnishing more than double the bulk and more nourishment than ordinary field corn. Thoroughly tested and recleaned. Price, Pk., 40c; Bu., \$1.25. Write for prices in large lots.

Sugar Cane for Fodder. Write for Prices.



MINNESOTA NO. 13.

## GENERAL LIST OF RELIABLE FLOWER SEEDS.

Our list of flower seeds has been carefully revised and comprises only the choicest and most select types in their respective classes, which we are certain will give satisfaction.

Let me remind my friends that Flower Seeds, being for the most part very small, require extra precaution in the preparation of the soil, depth of planting, and protection from extremes of cold and wet. Do not, as a rule, plant in the open ground before the weather has become settled; better wait until the middle of May. Before planting, the soil should be made very fine and be well enriched. For the smaller varieties, such as pansies, the rows may be from ten to twelve inches apart; the largest upright varieties, such as zinnias and marigolds, the rows should be fifteen to eighteen inches apart; while for running varieties, such as verbenas, the rows may be two feet apart. Seed the size of sweet peas may be planted one and a half to two inches deep; the very smallest seed should be planted barely under the surface, having fine earth sifted over them, and slightly packed with the hand, or a strip of board pressed upon it. It will keep the moisture in and facilitate vegetation if a newspaper is spread over the surface after planting, and kept down with stones for a few days. Thin out the plants when very small, with a bold hand, and after they have attained the height of two inches, thin again boldly. Give each plant plenty of room, according to its habit of growth. A common mistake is to crowd too much. Special rates when large amounts are ordered by clubs. Terms to dealers on application.

The letter "A" annexed to the name of varieties signifies Annual; "B" Biennial; "P" Perennial.

Annuals grow, bloom, and die the first year from seed. Biennials bloom the second year from seed and then die, though many, if sown early in the spring will flower the first year. Perennials usually bloom the second year from seed, and continue to grow and bloom for many years; some will also bloom the first year if sown early.

All Flower Seeds sent POSTPAID at Catalogue Price.

Although we do not offer Premiums we give "extra packets" with each Cash order amounting to \$1.00 or over.

Achillea. Double white flowers, fine for cutting. H. P	Pkt.,	<b>\$0.10</b>
Acrolinium. Everlasting Flower. A. Album Roseum Finest Mixed	.Pkt.,	.05
Adonis. Green foliage with scarlet flowers. H. A		
Ageratum. A. Splendid for border, blooms throughout the emer.  Perfection Blue—Amethyst  Mexicanum Blue  Mexicanum White	Pkt., Pkt.,	\$0.10 .10

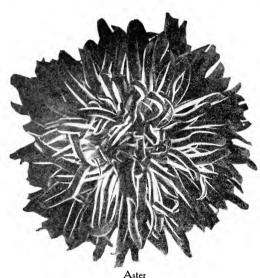
Allysum. A. A very pretty border plant, blooms the entire summer. Little Dorrit ......Pkt., \$0.05

Antirrhinum—Snapdragon "P." Very showy plants for the summer garden, blooms the whole summer.

Finest Mixed ......Pkt. \$0.05

#### ASTERMUM.

A splendid new type of the Hohenzolleren Aster, of immense size and a very full center. The plant reaches a height of from eighteen to



twenty-four inches, growing very straight with strong, starting stems, the base. We offer it in three colors: white, pink. lavender mixed. Each, per Pkt., 20c: collection four Pkts., 60c.

## ASTER.

Carlson's Branching. Flowers are very firm and very double, on long, stout, stiff stems, one of the best for cutting. Ounce, \$1.75; Pkt., 10c. Lavender, white and shell pink.

Roval Purple, Bright Purple. Ounce, \$2.00; Pkt., 10c.

Paris • White, best early white. Ounce, \$1.00; Pkt., 5c.

Christmas Tree, Mixed. Branching Pyramidal. Ounce, \$1.00; Pkt., 10c.

Asters.—A. Queen of the Market. Plants about one foot high, bearing from ten to fifteen finely formed flowers on long and graceful stems; bloom very early.

Light Blue	. Pkt <b>.,</b>	\$0.05
Pink	.Pkt.,	.05
White	. Pkt.,	.05

Giant Comet. This class is one of the handsomest of the tall-growing sorts. The plants grow about 18 inches high and bear in great abundance their immense flowers.

WhitePkt.,	\$0.10
Rose to WhitePkt.,	.10
Silver GreyPkt.,	.10
MixedPkt.,	.10

American Branching. Flowers extremely large with grace petals borne on long stems. Plants are strong and of branch White Light Rose Lavender Mixed	hing ha Pkt., \$ Pkt., Pkt.,	abit.
Paeony—Flowered Perfection. One of the best Midsumm excellent for exhibition and valuable for commercial and p Flowers full double, usually measuring four inches across.		
White Pink Lavender Amethyst	Pkt., Pkt.,	.05 .05 .05
Surprise.—Apricot shaded flesh	Pkt.,	.10
Crego. A giant in size, Comet in type. Petals are nearly length of those of the older varieties, and are beautifully to curled, giving an exceedingly fluffy appearance.		
Lavender White Pink	Pkt.,	0.10 .10 .10
Ostrich Plume. The flowers of this class resemble the Japan santhemum with its long, curved, fringe-like petals, giving appearance; of immense size.	nese C <b>a</b> feat	hry- hery
Mixed Terracotta	Pkt.,	.10
Daybreak. Extra large flowers; very double; color a beautiful	1	
shell pink; branching habit		.10
Vicks Deep Scarlet. Dwarf free-blooming and very desirable for bedding		.10
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Nasturtium

Nasturtium "A." They will make a better display of sweet scented flowers for three months than almost any other plant.

Pkt. Oz.

Tall Mixed Colors..\$0.05 \$0.15 Dwarf Mixed Colors .05 .15 Nicotiana—Tobacco Plant. An excellent border plant, produces a great number of fragrant flowers.

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Per Pkt.
Affinis, White Sweet
Scented\$0.05
Red
Finest Mixed05
Nigella-Love in a Mist. Com-
pact growth, free flowering,
fragrant, with fine cut fern-
like foilage.
Finest Double Mixed,
ner

per ........Pkt., \$0.10 White, Sweet Scented, Yellow .....Pkt., .10

Aquilegia—Columbine "P." A most desirable border plant,
blooms from May to July. Finest Mixed, Single
Balsam—Lady Slipper "A." The flowers are very showy and easily grown, succeeding best in sunny places.  Double Mixed
Calliopsis or Coreopsis. Charming summer flowering plants.  Annual
Callirhoe—Poppy Mallow "P." A showy, trailing perennial, bright crimson, saucer-shaped flowers of spreading habit. Pkt., .05
Campanula—Canterbury Bell "B." Handsome, hardy biennial, of stately growth, rich color and profuse bloom.  Double White
Candytuft—Iberis "A." Is one of the best flowers for edging, bedding and cutting.  Fine Mixed
Canna. Indian Shot
Canary Bird Vine. Tropaeolum Canariense
Marguerite. Flowers, large, double, very fragrant and appear in very attractive shades of color.  Choice Double Mixed
Double Florist's Pink "P." This is the double form of common garden or clove pink and though so common is one of the best of our hardy garden perennials
Celosia—Cockscomb "A." Highly ornamental plants, producing crested heads of flowers somewhat resembling a cockscomb.  Finest Mixed
Glasgow Prize. Plant resembles an immense comb, densely corrugated; brilliant, deep purplish red. Height, ten to twelve inches
Plumosa Thompsoni. For ornamental purposes this class is one of the most beautiful; entire plant covered with rich plumes of most striking colors.  Finest Mixed
Centaurea—Cornflower "A." One of the most popular of our garden
annuals, blooming continually all summer.  Marguerite, Giant White
and most beautiful summer-blooming plants

Clarkia "A." A beautiful hardy annual; worthy of a place in every garden.
Fine Double MixedPkt., \$0.05
Cosmos "A." This beautiful annual is one of the most showy and useful of our garden plants. Excellent for cutting.  Early Minnesota
Cypress Vine. A most beautiful vine with delicate fern-like foliage and star-like flowers.
Finest MixedPkt., \$0.05
Dahlia. One of the best autumn-flowering plants; blooms until killed by frost.
Fine Double Mixed
Longfellow, Double Rose
African
The Shasta "P." Flowers pure white, borne on long, stiff stems. Excellent for perennial border and useful for cut-
ting Pkt. 10
Delphininum—Larkspur "P." Very beautiful, producing splendid spikes of flowers throughout the entire summer.
Formosum, Deep Blue, White Center
Chinese, Deep Blue Pkt., .05 Chinese, White Pkt., .05
Chinese, WhitePkt., .05
Annual Mixed
Dianthus—Pinks "A." Dianthus, better known as Chinese Pinks, are among the most brilliant of garden flowers; blooming profusely until
killed by frost.
Imperialis, Double Mixed
Double Diadem, Mixed Pkt., .05 Double Fringed Chinese Mixed Pkt., .10
Digitalis—Foxglove "P." Very ornamental hardy perennial plants of
stately growth, producing long flower spikes.
stately growth, producing long flower spikes. Finest Mixed
Eschscholtzia—California Poppy "A." The state flower of California.  Very attractive for beds, blooming almost continually throughout the
season.
Single Mixed
Double Mixed
Carmine King
Four O'clock—Marvel of Peru "A." Handsome border plants of com-
pact growth, and splendid bloomers. Finest Mixed
Gaillardia. Showy plants, flowering the first year and among the gayest
ornaments of the garden.  Perennial Mixed
Annual Mixed Pkt., \$0.05
Gourds—Ornamental. Tender annual climbers, with curiously shaped fruit in various colors, many of which are
peculiarly markedPkt., .05
peculiarly marked
in abundance in loose panicles. Excellent for their delicate effect in
bouquets. Hardy AnnualPkt., \$0.10
Perennial

Heliotrope. Very fragrant. Giant Flowered
Helianthus—Sunflower. Stately decorative plants with large heads of golden yellow flowers.  The True Red
Helichrysum—Everlasting "A." One of the best dried flowers for house decoration and will grow in almost any soil.  Finest Mixed
Hollyhocks—Althaea "P." Very effective in large groups and borders for planting among shrubbery or forming a background for other flowers.  Chaters, Double Mixed
Hyacinth Bean—Dolichos. Very ornamental and rapid climber, with dense foliage and handsome flowers.  Finest Mixed
Kochia—Glowing Bush. A quick growing annual and very ornamental
Lantana. A splendid bedding plant. Finest Mixed
Lavender. Much prized for the delicious fragrance of its violet flowers
Lobelia. Fine for border.  Emperor William, Sky Blue
Emperor William, Sky BluePkt., \$0.10
Emperor William, Sky Blue



Pansy.

Pansy. The Pansy is sundoubtedly the general favorite of all early spring-flowering plants, and no garden is complete without them.

Oueen of The Giants. proved five-spotted flowers which long, vigorous stalks surmount the foliage in the most graceful manner, are of enormous size, perfectly round form, original structure and unusual substance. The individual petals are exceedingly broad and cover each other in such a manner as to make the flowers appear almost double. With most of the flowers the border of every petal

being conspicuously undulated and curled, which gives the flowers a striking and very peculiar appearance entirely new to this class of plants.....Pkt., \$0.10

W. H. B. Mixture. Our own mixture, finest varieties......Pkt., .10 Giant Lord Beaconsfield Velvety purple violet, the top petals have a white margin ......Pkt., .05 Giant Golden Queen. Pure Yellow ......Pkt., .05 Giant Snowflake, Pure White ......Pkt., .05 Petunia "A." Very free blooming. .25 Phlox Drummondi "A." For beds nothing surpasses this beautiful annual. They produce immense trusses of large, brilliant flowers, and bloom throughout the entire summer and fall. Pkt., \$0.05 .05 White ......Pkt.. .05 Platycodon "P." Japanese Bellflower. Dwarf Blue......Pkt., \$0.10 Poppies-Papaver. Of recent years the Poppy has become very popular, and it may be safely said that no other flower produces a more brilliant display of color during the blooming period. Oriental. Very large gorgeous scarlet blossoms; base of petals, black. One of the most showy garden perennials..Pkt., \$0.05 The Shirley. Excellent bedding variety, containing the Double Carnation Flowered, Mixed......Pkt., Portulaca-Moss Rose "A." One of the most showy and beautiful annuals. Double Mixed ......Pkt., \$0.10 Single Mixed ......Pkt..

producing large, double flowers in a great variety of shades and some flower spikes are invaluable for bouquets.

color this old-fashioned flower is unsurpassed; very fragrant.

Vinca—Periwinkle. free-flowering.

Mixed .... Pkt., \$0.05

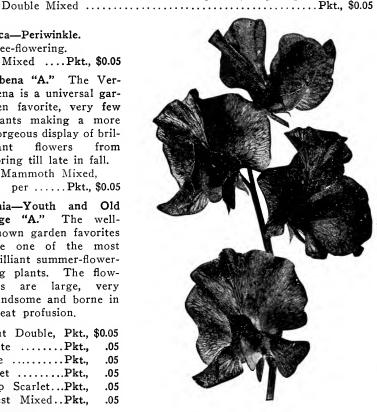
Verbena "A." The Verbena is a universal garden favorite, very few plants making a more gorgeous display of brilliant flowers from spring till late in fall.

Mammoth Mixed.

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Zinnia-Youth and Old Age "A." The wellknown garden favorites are one of the most brilliant summer-flowering plants. The flowers are large, very handsome and borne in great profusion.

Giant Double, Pkt., \$0.05 White ......Pkt., .05 Rose .....Pkt., .05 Violet ......Pkt., .05 Deep Scarlet...Pkt.. .05 Finest Mixed..Pkt., .05



#### SWEET PEAS.

SWEET TEAS.			
Pkt		Oz.	1/4-Lb.
Mixed Giant Spencer. Distinguished for their			
gigantic size of blossoms, usually two inches			
across. Crumpled or waved so much, so that			
some of the seedsmen list them as orchid			
flowers. Three or four blossoms on long,			4.0
graceful stems	0.10	\$0.25	\$0.75
George Washington—Spencer. Crimson Scarlet			
(Crop failed)			
Marie Corelli-Spencer. Rose Carmine (Crop			
failed)			
Asta Ohn—Spencer. Lavender	.10	.40	1.25
Apple Blossom—Spencer. Rose and Blush		.30	1.00
White Spencer. Best White	.10	.30	1.00
Countess Spencer. Giant waved white and rose	.10	.35	1.10
Nora Unwin. Giant White	.10	.15	.50
Gladys Uwin. Pale Rose Pink	.05	.15	.40
Frank Dolby. Pale Blue	.05	.10	.35
John Ingman. Magenta Giant	.05	.10	.35
D. R. Williamson. Indigo Blue	• • • •	.10	.35
Rose Du Barri. Salmon and Orange	.05	.10	.35
Apple Blossom. Crimson Pink	.05	.15	.35
Shasta. Large, Grand White	.05	.15	
Prince Edward of York. Scarlet	.05	.15	
Admiration. Pinkish Lavender	.05	.15	.45
Trial Ground Mixture. This is a mixture of all			
varieties on trial ground last year, includ-			
ing most newer varieties and those of the	0.5	1.5	AF
Spencer and Unwin types	.05	.15	.45

#### BEGONIAS-Tuberous Rooted.

A charming class of Begonias, of great value for planting outdoors in the herbaceous border or shady nook in the lawn. No plants are easier grown. The tubers planted outdoors in May will bloom in July and continue to produce an abundance of large, brilliant colored flowers until frost cuts them down or they may be planted in the house in March or April and transplanted in the open ground as soon as the weather permits. The flowers are large and very showy, many of them measure four inches across.

## CALADIUM ESCULENTUM.—Elephant's Ear.

When planted out in beds or as single specimens on lawns they have a grand appearance.

Mammoth Bulbs.—20c each; per dozen, \$2.00; by mail, 10c each extra.

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One of the most charming and fragrant of our summer flowering bulbs.

Mammoth Excelsior Pearl—By mail, 5c each; per doz., 50c; by purchaser's expense, 3 for 10c; per doz., 40c; per 100, \$2.50.



PEONIES. Peonies have been greatly improved in recent years, and are now one of the most popular of all the herbaceous plants. They are perfectly hardy and thrive in almost any soil. In shady places where few plants succeed peonies will grow luxuriantly. The plants will thrive equally well in sunny situations and planted in front of shrubbery or on either side of walks they are very effective.

Plants produce the best flowers after the second vear. Do not plant on freshly manured ground. A 11 fertilizers should be placed top ground is frozen in the fall.

We offer the most desirable varieties for form and color.

Brand's Seedlings. All fine, tried varieties. Strong Divisions and year old plants. Postpaid at prices listed.

Prince of Darkness.-Large dark maroon, rose shaped, one of the darkest peonies in cultivation. Opens early and lasts long. Free bloomer and excellent as a cut flower. Each. \$2.00.

Mrs. Carew.—Large, full rose shaped flower, often seven inches in diameter. Delicate silver blush, some inner petals with carmine edges. Clusters of four and six blooms. Excellent for cutting. Each, \$2.00.

Lynda.—Good white, for late cutting. Each, \$1.00.

Ruth Brand.—Very large, compact bomb. Guard petals prominent, enclosing a grand ball of compact center petals. A uniform soft lavender, pink splashed with deeper lavender. Tall, stems fine, graceful and strong, holding but a single bloom. Medium season, beautiful in bud. Each, \$1.00.

Lora Dexheimer .- Intense flaming crimson shading darker at base of petals. Medium height, stiff stems holding but a single bloom, rigidly erect. One of the grandest peonies in existence. Each, \$5.00.

#### STANDARD VARIETIES.

Alexander Dumas.—A brilliant pink interspersed with salmon white and chamois. Early, strong divisions. Each, 50c.

Delachi.—Late mid-season, compact rose type. Deep purple, crimson reflex, a sure and free bloomer. One of the best dark reds. One year; each, 50c.

Delicatissima.—Large, delicate one-color pink. One of the best for cut flowers. Mid-season. One year. Each, 50c.

Dr. Brettanneau.—Delicate lilac pink, free bloomer, fragrant and keeps well as a cut flower. Strong Divisions. Each, 50c.

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Festiva Maxima.—The most popular white peony (in existance). Strong divisions. 75c.

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Collection Eleven, Standard Varieties, by express, \$5.00. Prices quoted on request for large lots and smaller divisions.

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Beautify your home, plant a few of these hardy shrubs, your property will not only increase in value, but the home will be more attractive and pleasant. The following are all adapted to our climate. We send out only strong plants in perfect condition.

Buckthorn.—For hedges. Four to five feet. Dark green foliage, blooms in June, white flowers, followed with showy black fruits. Each, 30c; doz., \$2.50; 100, \$12.00.

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Elder.—Golden. Golden yellow foliage, for striking contrasts—very pretty; two to three feet. Each, 30c; doz., \$3.00.

Elder.—Red berried, white flowers, followed by vivid colored berries. Three to four feet. Each, 35c; doz., \$3.50.

Forsythia.—Sunspensa. Golden ball, weeping, handsome, with showy foliage and trumpet shaped bright yellow flowers. Three to four feet. Each, 40c; doz., \$4.50.

High Bush Cranberry.—Large clusters of single white flowers, succeeded in fall by bunches of berries resembling cranberries. Two to three feet. Each, 30c; doz., \$2.50.

Hydrangea.—Paniculata Grandiflora. One of the grandest flowering shrubs begins to bloom early in summer and continues until late in fall. Hardy, does not require protection in winter. Two to three feet. Each, 40c; doz., \$3.50.

Hydrangea.—Hills of snow. Snowball Hydrangea. Blooms June to Sept., immense clusters of pure white flowers. Eighteen to twenty-four inches. Each, 40c; doz., \$3.50. Lilac, purple. Well known old favorites. Two to three feet. Each, 30c; doz., \$2.50. Lilac, white. three to four feet. Each, 50c; doz., \$5.00.

By express or freight at purchaser's expense.

#### HARDY LILIES.

Plant bulbs in a well drained garden soil and cover to a depth of from 3 to 5 inches, according to size of bulbs. These are the finest of all the bulbous plants; graceful and imposing in habit, with showy, large, sweet scented flowers of pure and chaste colors. They are very desirable in borders among shrubbery and in groups.

Lilium Auratum (Golden Banded Japan Lily)—Flowers pure white; gold band through center of petal; beautfully spotted chocolate crimson.

Lilium Speciosum Rubrum or Roseum.—White suffused and spotted rose.

Extra large bulbs......Each, 25c; per doz., \$2.50

Postpaid at single rates. Purchaser pays charges at dozen rates. Add 25c per dozen.

#### LAWN GRASS SEED.



W. H. B. Brand Lawn Grass Seed. An unrivaled mixture of the purest and cleanest seed; it contains only the highest grade of grass suitable for the purpose of making a beautiful, durable, lasting lawn. Our brand mixed seed germinates quickly. roots deeply; this enables it to readily withstand the heat of summer and the severe cold of winter, showing a beautiful, rich green at all seasons of the year. Contains no annual grasses for making a quick show, but has only those which are hardy and lasting. A lawn once established from this seed lasts for years.

From six to eight weeks' time is all that is required to form a close, thick turf of rich, velvety green.

One pound of W. H. B. BRAND Lawn Grass will cover 300 square feet of new lawn. One hundred pounds will cover an acre.

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How to Make a Lawn. The preparation of the soil is very important in making a good lawn. As early as possible in the spring it should be thoroughly dug or ploughed to the depth of 10 to 12 inches and properly graded to the desired level. Remove all stones, sticks, sods, etc., harrow or rake it fine and roll it firm. It is impossible to get the soil too fine to receive the seed. After rolling, the soil will be ready for the seed. If the soil is poor, wood ashes, bone meal or pulverized sheep manure should be added after digging it up. Well-rotted stable manure is also good, but it often contains weed seeds. Sow the best seed obtainable; it is always cheapest in the end; use quantity as indicated by table on this page. If it best to sow seed liberally, not only so as to produce a lawn quickly, but because the best lawn seed reproduces fineleaved grasses which should take entire possession of the ground at once, thus choking out and preventing the development of any weed seeds which are apt to be in all soils. Sow seed by hand, distributing it evenly, going both ways across the plot. After sowing, cover the seed by raking lightly, then roll. When the grass has become well rooted, use lawn mower. Keep the mower sharp, as if dull, it will pull and injure the grass, besides causing the lawn to have an uneven appearance. Never allow the grass to become so high that the mower will take off the first joint, as this is an injury. Mow as often as necessary; in growing weather at least once a week. Let the short clippings remain on the lawn, as they wither and dry and form a protection to the roots. When the clippings are long, they should be raked off; for besides being unsightly, they are also injurious. When dry and hot avoid cutting too close. In the early spring every lawn should be carefully rolled, to smooth and firm the soil and take out any unevenness caused during the winter by the heaving of the frost. During dry spells the lawn should be thoroughly soaked once a week in the evening or after the sunshine is off the lawn.

To Grass a Terrace. Take for each square rod a pound of lawn grass seed, and mix it with about six cubic feet of good dry garden loam. Place it in a tub and add liquid manure, diluted with about two-thirds water until the mixture has the consistency of mortar. Make the slope perfectly even and smooth, water it well, then apply the paste in a thin, even coat.

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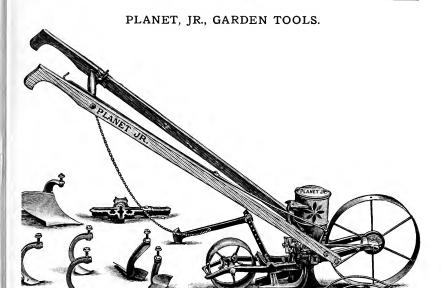
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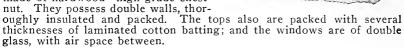
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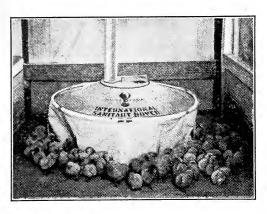
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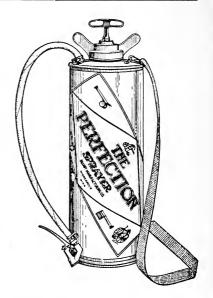
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